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**MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE**

**PATENT**

Customer No. 22,852

Attorney Docket No. 04329.2718

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Kenji KAWANO, et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1756  
Application No.: 10/026,419 ) Examiner: Chacko-Davis, Daborah  
Filed: December 26, 2001 )  
For: APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING )  
SUBSTRATE AND METHOD OF )  
PROCESSING THE SAME )

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 and subject to the recommendation of the Examiner and the approval of the Commissioner, and without withdrawing the case from issue, kindly amend the subject application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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